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COMPRISING PIGMENTS AND
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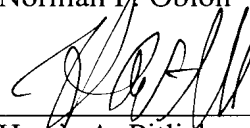
A Reply Brief in reply to the Examiner's Answer dated February 21, 2008 was filed on April 7, 2008. The Examiner's Answer dated April 9, 2008 is substantively identical to the first dated Examiner's Answer. Accordingly, the Reply Brief is hereby incorporated by reference.

Applicants also maintain their request for an oral hearing.

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